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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Special Projects Branch, DPD

SUBJECT : Altimeters for the U-2

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1. A telephone conversation with [ ] of LAC on 27 December 1961, above subject, indicated that some of the altimeters recently in use in the U-2 vehicle were of an improper type. He reported that this situation has been corrected and that the altimeters presently in use are satisfactory.

2. He pointed out, however, that various aircraft modifications since the flight manual data was gathered are suspected to have had an effect on performance. A test is scheduled for 27 December 1961 to check variations and determine necessary revisions, if any.

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